

**MEDICAL RECORD****Inpatient Progress Notes****Restraint or Seclusion Licensed Independent Practitioner (LIP) Progress Note**

Date of visit:

Time:

Seclusion      or      Restraints      (circle one)

LIP Assessment of patient:

Response of patient to care provided:

Plan for this patient to be released:

Justification of continued need for restraints or seclusion at this time (provide additional written orders as needed):

Notification of family members regarding use of seclusion or restraint:

☐ Yes      ☐ No      When: \_\_\_\_\_ By Whom: \_\_\_\_\_

**Policy Requirement for Behavioral Health:** A Licensed Independent Practitioner (LIP — MD, DDS, Physician Assistant, Nurse Practitioner) must perform a face-to-face evaluation of the patient within one hour of the implementation of restraint or seclusion. Thereafter, continued in person evaluation by an LIP must be repeated after 4 hours for children (<18 y.o.) and 8 hours for adults (≥18 y.o.) as long as criteria cannot be met for release from seclusion or restraints. Documentation of each LIP face-to-face evaluation must be completed using this Restraint or Seclusion LIP Progress Notes.

**Policy Requirement for Medical Surgical Setting:** A Licensed Independent Practitioner (LIP — MD, DDS, Physician Assistant, Nurse Practitioner) must perform a face-to-face evaluation of the patient within eight hours of implementation of restraints. Thereafter, continued in person evaluation by an LIP must be repeated every 24 hours as long as the restraint condition continues. Documentation of each LIP face-to-face evaluation must be completed using this Restraint or Seclusion LIP Progress Notes.

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LIP Signature and Degree\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Patient Identification

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